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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

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RE: Conciliation Offer in the Matter of Dallas Entrepreneurial Political Action
Committee and Randall Goss, as treasurer, MUR 4903

On March 22, 2000 the Federal Election Commission (the "Commission") authorized the filing of a civil action against the Dallas Entrepreneurial Political Action Committee and Randall Goss, as treasurer ("DALENPAC") for failing to timely file its 1998 October Quarterly Report in violation of 2 U.S.C. 434(a)(4)(A)(i). On April 25, 2000 the Committee made an offer of conciliation. For the reasons stated below we recommend that the Commission accept this offer.

I. BACKGROUND

On April 21, 1999, the Office of the General Counsel received a referral from the Reports Analysis Division based on DALENPAC's failure to file its October 1998 Quarterly Report in a timely manner. On June 22, 1999 the Commission found reason to believe DALENPAC had failed to file its October 1998 Quarterly Report in a timely manner and approved a pre-probable cause conciliation agreement with a civil penalty

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II. Discussion

We recommend that the Commission accept DALENPAC's conciliation offer.

Recommendation:

Accept the conciliation offer made by Dallas Entrepreneurial Political Action Committee and Randall Goss, as treasurer.

Attachment:

Signed Conciliation Agreement submitted by DALENPAC.